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BHAVANA A. DEORE, ET AL

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Application Number

10/581,752

Filing Date

June 5, 2006

Art Unit

Not yet available

Examiner Name

Not yet available

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

A SWITCHABLE SELF-DOPED POLYANILINE

(Title of the invention)

the specification of which



is attached hereto

OR



was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY)

June 5, 2006

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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

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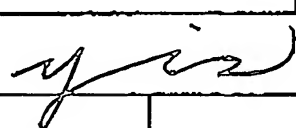

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	Filing Date	June 5, 2006
	First Named Inventor	DEAVANA A. DEORE, ET AL
	Title	A SWITCHABLE SELF-DOPED ...
	Art Unit	Not yet available
	Examiner Name	Not yet available
	Attorney Docket Number	74618-41 Jalr

I hereby revoke all previous powers of attorney given in the above-identified application.

I hereby appoint:

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☐ Applicant/Inventor.

☒ Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/98).

**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Signature	<u>O. Bres</u>	Date	DEC 14 2006
Name	<u>ODD BRES</u>	Telephone	<u>204 474 9407</u>
Title and Company	<u>TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER MANAGER, U. of Manitoba</u>		

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: BHAVANA A. DEORE, ET AL.Application No./Patent No./Control No.: 10/581,752Filed/Issue Date: June 5, 2006Entitled: A SWITCHABLE SELF-DOPED POLYANILINEUniversity of Manitoba, a University

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☐ an assignee of less than the entire right, title and interest  
The extent (by percentage) of its ownership interest is \_\_\_\_\_ %

In the patent application/patent identified above by virtue of either:

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OR

- B. ☐ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application/patent identified above, to the current assignee as follows:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

O Bres

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, we, Bhavana A. Dcore and Insun Yu and Michael S. Freund, all citizens of Canada, residing at, respectively, ~~631 Drake Centre, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3T 5V4~~, ~~631 Drake Centre, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3T 5V4~~, and ~~631 Drake Centre, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3T 5V4~~ (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignors"), have made certain inventions and discoveries disclosed in US Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/526603, filed on December 4, 2003, and in International Patent Co-operation Treaty Patent Application Serial No. PCT/CA2004/002083, entitled A SWITCHABLE SELF-DOPED POLYANILINE, filed on December 6, 2004 (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Application");

AND WHEREAS, UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA, whose full post office address is 631 Drake Centre, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3T 5V4, Canada (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, and in and to the Application inclusive of any and all priority rights derived therefrom for any and all countries in the world, and in and to any and all Letters Patent issuing in any and all countries in the world, to be granted for said inventions and discoveries based on said Application or on patent applications filed in any country claiming priority from said Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we the Assignors, do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title, and interest in and to the inventions and discoveries disclosed in the Application, and in and to the Application and any continuations or divisions thereof and all priority rights derived therefrom, and in and to any and all patent applications and any continuations or divisions thereof filed in any country claiming priority from the Application, and in and to all Letters Patent which may be granted upon the Application or upon patent applications filed in any and all countries in the world including the United States of America, claiming priority from the Application, and in and to any and all reissues, substitutions, or prolongations thereof; the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and behoof, and for the use and behoof of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent, or reissues, substitutions, or prolongations thereof may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment and sale not been made;

AND we hereby agree that, upon request, and without further consideration, but at the expense of the Assignee, we will communicate to the Assignee or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting said inventions and discoveries and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally aid the Assignee, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper

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AND we hereby authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents to issue each and every Letters Patent to be granted upon the aforesaid Application in any and all countries, and each and every reissue of said Letters Patent, to the Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of our entire right, title and interest therein, in accordance with this assignment.

THIS assignment made effective as of December 6, 2004.

SIGNED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006.

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BHAVANA A. DEORE

SIGNED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006.

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